



*PCE*  
*zhu*

LAW OFFICES OF  
**SYNNESTVEDT & LECHNER LLP**  
2600 ARAMARK TOWER  
1101 MARKET STREET  
PHILADELPHIA, PA 19107-2950  
TELEPHONE (215) 923-4466  
FACSIMILE (215) 923-2189  
E-MAIL [synnlech@synnlech.com](mailto:synnlech@synnlech.com)  
[www.synnlech.com](http://www.synnlech.com)

May 3, 2005

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of M. Jaye, K. Doan, J. Krawiec, K. Lynch, D. Amin, V. South,  
D. Marchadier, C. Maugeais, and D. Rader

Application No. 09/277,401

Art Unit 1652

Filed March 26, 1999

Examiner K. Kerr

Compositions and Methods for Effecting the Levels of High Density Lipoprotein  
(HDL) Cholesterol and Apolipoprotein AI, Very Low Density Lipoprotein (VLDL)  
Cholesterol and Low Density Lipoprotein (LDL) Cholesterol

(Atty. Docket No. P 22,944-C USA)

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Mail Stop RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on Tuesday, May 3, 2005.

*Kathleen P. Higgins*  
Kathleen P. Higgins

Mail Stop RCE  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REQUEST UNDER 37 CFR § 1.114 FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Sir:

Applicants request hereby continued examination for the present application.

This Request is being filed with a Reply to the Examiner's Action, dated January 13,

05/06/2005 WASFAW1 00000073 09277401

01 FC:1801

790.00 OP

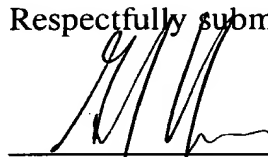
SYNNESTVEDT & LECHNER LLP  
Art Unit 1652  
Application No. 09/277,401

May 3, 2005  
Attorney Docket No. P 22,944-C USA

2005.

Form PTO-2038 is enclosed to pay the fee for the Request. If there is any error in the fee due, please charge or credit the difference to Deposit Account No. 19-5425. A duplicate of this Request is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

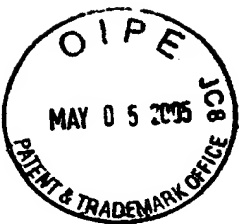


---

Gene J. Yao, Esquire  
Reg. No. 47,193  
Attorney for Applicants

Synnestvedt & Lechner LLP  
Suite 2600 Aramark Tower  
1101 Market Street  
Philadelphia, PA 19107-2950  
(215) 923-4466

M:\GYao\22,000 to 22,999\22,944-C USA RCE\RCE.doc



LAW OFFICES OF  
SYNNESTVEDT & LECHNER LLP  
2600 ARAMARK TOWER  
1101 MARKET STREET  
PHILADELPHIA, PA 19107-2950  
TELEPHONE (215) 923-4466  
FACSIMILE (215) 923-2189  
E-MAIL synnlech@synnlech.com  
www.synnlech.com

May 3, 2005

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of M. Jaye, K. Doan, J. Krawiec, K. Lynch, D. Amin, V. South,  
D. Marchadier, C. Maugeais, and D. Rader

Application No. 09/277,401

Filed March 26, 1999

Art Unit 1652

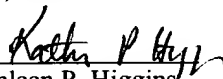
Examiner K. Kerr

Compositions and Methods for Effecting the Levels of High Density Lipoprotein  
(HDL) Cholesterol and Apolipoprotein AI, Very Low Density Lipoprotein (VLDL)  
Cholesterol and Low Density Lipoprotein (LDL) Cholesterol

(Atty. Docket No. P 22,944-C USA)

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Mail Stop RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on Tuesday, May 3, 2005.

  
Kathleen P. Higgins

Mail Stop RCE  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REPLY UNDER 37 CFR §1.114 TO EXAMINER'S JANUARY 13, 2005 ACTION

Sir:

The present Reply is being submitted concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination. Accordingly, applicants request respectfully entry of the